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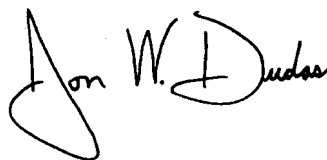
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page: Item [73] Assignee: "Aisin A W Co., Ltd" should read -- Aisin AW Co., Ltd. --.

Column 24, line 32 (claim 6, line 7) "base" should read -- based --.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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